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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1887.  
BOOM the Gas trust subscription.

MILLIONS in it: This good, soaking idea.

THERE are the compliments of the season ready for use in "Merry Christmas" and "Happy New Year," and even "Hurrah for the Fourth of July," but what is the greeting for Thanksgiving? Whatever it is, THE NEWS gives it to its friends.

GET a good ready for the Gas trust ratification meeting to-morrow. Be there, and bring the family along. You will see one of the most valuable objects of good citizenship that ever occurs for illustration. You will "have your attention called" to one of the finest examples of unselfish enterprise that ever engaged human endeavor. It happens rarely that instances of the full exercise of the privileges of a free people are ever illustrated as they have been in this glorious work of the Gas trust, and at this meeting view of its greatness and worth can be set out to the edification of all, most perhaps to those who have labored so hard for it. Come out to the meeting to-morrow night. Let the capacity of Tomlinson hall be tested.

PRESIDENT GREY is reported by cable to see no way out of the present entanglement but resignation, and has informed a radical deputy, M. Maret, that he has decided to resign. Who will succeed him, or what sort of government will come out of the furnace the political leaders and parties are now passing through is by no means clear. The chronic revolutionists, anarchists and socialists, fiery, cruel and turbulent, are active in holding secret meetings and blating with red cravats and redder throats. Other parties are not less disquieted, but not in preparation for a fresh outbreak of violence, barricades and butchery. Even the most moderate leaders and papers say the crisis is a grave one, and it is not regarded as an impossible outcome that a dictator may have to take up the abandoned presidency and enlarge its powers to the measure of the existing emergency. In any view of the situation France is going to be the center of political interest in both hemispheres till the government is settled and affairs moving on again as usual.

A STRANGE sort of revolt is that undertaken by the "rotters" of the island of Lewis, and it is one that an American will find it hard to hold in his sympathy from hearty wishes for its success. The lordly owners of the island have given up to the culture of game for their sport many thousands of acres that can be, and in many cases have been, made the homes and means of subsistence of the inhabitants. Now the game is well fed and the people are starving. If a change of occupants of these deer forests and moors could be made the people could live as comfortably as other "rotters" of the Hebrides—though that is not saying much—and the work of the change would be nothing but the diminution of aristocratic sport. So two thousand or the crofters have provided themselves with guns, ammunition, tents and other needed equipments for a campaign against their unconsenting but none the less dangerous enemies, the bucks and does and black-cocks, to the end that there be no longer game to occupy the land the owners may be content to let the starving human beings now excluded get in and make a living there. So far as we can now recall, this is the first considerable attempt of the people of any part of England to resist, by force, the desolation devised by their landlords in the interest of deer and grouse shooting. Huge tracts of land have been depopulated, many of the inhabitants coming to this country, to make game forests and preserves, and the petitions and pitiful pleas of the victimized farmers have had as little effect as the wailing of the east wind. The Duke of Sutherland, the husband of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe's especial admirer, emptied out the crofters or farmers of some 50,000 acres of his enormous estate in the north of Scotland to make a "sheep pasture." This was better than making a deer park of it, but it was bad enough at the best. Old men and their old wives, young men and women, children and babies in the cradle were turned out of doors to scuffle with want, and illness and homelessness as they could. Some emigrated, some found occupation at home, but the philanthropic fame of the Duke did not grow green and flourish like a bay tree while the change was going on, nor afterward. This is no solitary case, though perhaps it was the most extensive sweep of depopulation attempted by any of the great landlords of the north. The difference between changing an inhabited tract to a game desert, and keeping as a game desert large parks that could be made the means of comfortable subsistence to a million people, is not very wide or even marked to average moral observation. In spite of law and hereditary right, we think Americans will wish success to the crofters of Lewis.

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## The Feast of Thanks.

Yours pass like winds that cease to blow,  
Like stars that fall from heaven's dome;  
By winds of years, by winds of sorrow,  
Unremembered still gleam the lights of home.

Among the living or the dead,  
O, better we love where'er we be,  
For you the sacred board is spread,  
The feast of Love and Memory.

Clear eyes huddled or better light,  
Cranbush's feast past death's dim banks,  
Through all the gloom of winter night,  
Come, keep with us the day of thanks!

For all, for all, to God be praise,  
May flock the golden head with foam;  
For all, for all, to God be praise,  
Yet God be thanked for Love and home!

Though hopes and joys like April snows,  
May melt, though good or evil befall;  
For all man's life, for bliss or woe,  
Be thanks said at this festival!

Old women, old houses, old friends, old days  
Wherefrom full many a season pass—  
For all, for all, to God be praise,  
And meet for love and kindly hearts!

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The most ancient agricultural society in the United States is organized in South Carolina. It was founded in 1784, and is therefore 103 years old.

"He is a man who has suffered much," says a country exchange, and a few lines further on irreverently adds: "He has been a subscriber to this paper since its first number."

No wonder the English people act so like heathens in their treatment of suffering Ireland. We call all their best preachers over to America pulpits. But we send them "Society's" bulletins.

The old saying: "Give a foolish talker enough rope and he will hang himself," may now be rendered as follows: "Give a hotel best rope enough and he will hang up the proprietor."—(Boston Mail.)

The bureau of labor statistics of Maine shows that the purchasing power of a dollar in that state is much greater than it was ten years ago. A dollar will purchase as much now as it would \$1.17 in 1877.

"Wine is a mocker," said a temperance advocate, giving down about a pint of coffee. "Coffee is a mocker, too," replied a man across the table and called for a bottle of beer.—(Washington Critic.)

Mr. Hayne, of South Carolina, the man who evoked Webster's famous speech, visited Webster at Marshfield, and once said of Webster's argument: "A man who can make such speeches as that ought never to die."

Mr. Gladstone is feeling the effects of the remarkably cold and wet weather in England. His throat and bronchial tubes are his weak spots, and it is said that he will soon go to the south of France, as he did in January, 1883.

A landslide in Franklin county, Missouri, revealed a solid vein of lead eight feet high and about six feet wide. Three men took out 60,000 pounds in a few days, and the product sold for \$44 a ton to the smelting company.

Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll recently wrote to a friend: "Cleveland's luck made him president and his love has made him popular." Cleveland's two "L's," therefore, have, contrary to the laws of poker, beaten Blaine's three "L's."

## ALL FOR THE BEST.

A Thanksgiving Story.

"Who was that I heard talkin' to you just now?" asked Mr. Cary, as he entered the kitchen door.

"Miss Jordan," replied his wife.

"She wants us to drop in to help her eat turkey this evening," Mr. Hatfield and the new minister and their wives are to be there. We are to stop on the way home from meetin'."

How does she know that we are goin' to meetin'? I am sure it is not Sunday," returned Mr. Cary.

"Why, William, you know this is Thanksgiving," urged Mrs. Cary.

"I am thinkin' it is mighty little we've got left to give thanks for," returned the old man with a sigh.

"Never distrust Providence, William. Seed time and harvest He has promised, and we have His word for His care even into howling haws."

"Man, man, man, you are a deacon," He is the same God that told the children of Israel to go forward, and did He fail to open them a way?" and Mrs. Cary left the pudding she was stirring and crossed over to the corner where her husband had drawn the old arm chair.

"I have tried to serve Him for forty years, Rachel, and it is a little tryin' to be let, homeless when my hair is gray and my eyes dim," he replied.

"It is written, 'I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee,' she said softly.

"And yet, Rachel, while the home we have worked so hard to pay for will be knocked down to the highest bidder to-morrow, the roof over our heads shelter us to-night for the last time. With a cold, stormy winter at hand we will be cast helpless out in the snow. I can see nothin' before us but the poor-house," he answered bitterly.

"It seems hard, William, but the Lord will provide if we but trust Him," sobbed the poor, tired woman.

"I'm a thinkin' we've been all wrong in bringin' up our children. If we had been satisfied for them to begin where we did, instead of where we left off, the farm need never have been mortgaged."

"We did it all for the best, father; we meant to do our duty, and if we made a mistake, God knows all about it."

"Ungrateful children is the sorest punishment that can be visited upon indulgent parents. I hoped, when our children were small, that they would take care of us in our old days; but, instead of supporting us, they are burdens on our worn-out strength. The girls can sit and see their mother wearin' out her strength for them, and Robert would to God we had buried him in his innocent childhood."

The mother sighed heavily, and then replied, sadly: "If Robert would only do right, I would be willing to begin life anew. It seems to me his reformation would give us both a new lease on life."

"But I have given him up. There is no rest for us, but in the grave. His destruction is only a matter of time. When I think of the bright promise of his early years I almost curse the college that taught him the use of intoxicating drinks," exclaimed the father, earnestly.

"It was evil associates, William, not the book-learning that ruined our boy. Who knows but God may save him yet? He does not forget the prayers we have put up for him."

"I reckon not, but it is hard to save a confirmed drunkard," returned the father.

"Not too hard for the grace of God. With him all things are possible. It is hard to give up everything for no fault of our own, but God rules, and it must be all for the best."

The old man shook his head with a weary sigh, and his wife, the partner of all his joys and sorrows, drew her chair closer to him, took his cold hands in her own, and deep silence fell upon the gray-haired couple.

The aged parents were not aware that their conversation reached other ears than their own. Tears sprang to the eyes of two of their listeners, and Alice and Katie Cary, in whispered comments, agreed that Robert's time to rest had come at last. Robert, stretched lazily on the old-fashioned sofa, could not fail to catch the sound of the voice in the adjoining apartment, and though the girls never thought of taking him into their confidence, he realized that, in spite of his father's distrust, he would help answer his mother's prayers.

He knew the farm had been mortgaged to keep him at college, and he had promised to break the fetters of study to his interest. A sense of his ingratitude almost overwhelmed him, and to hide his emotion he took his hat and hurried from the room.

"He is off to town now to spend the day in adding sorrow to the overflowing cup poor father and mother are compelled to drink," sighed Alice.

Robert caught her words and paused for a moment to reply.

"If he is doomed to a drunkard's grave, the sooner he fills it the better for us all," she returned, in a hard voice.

Robert waited for no more, but rushed madly across the yard, crossed the road, and little brook at its bottom, sought refuge among the rocks in the wood beyond, where he allowed great sobs of remorse to shake his strong frame. Feeling his own inability to break the fetters that bound him, he humbly carried his burden to the One who is ever ready to help; and when he returned in the gathering dusk he was ready to gladden the heavy hearts in the desolate home with the joyful tidings of the victory he had won.

"We have something for which to give thanks yet," cried the father in tears.

"Here I have been doubting God's love and kindness, even while I was preparing my heart's desire for my Thanksgiving song."

The next week they moved into a poor, inconvenient tenement house, but the tender care their children lavished upon them made this the happiest winter of their lives.

Robert succeeded in obtaining steady work, though not such as he would have chosen, but he was wise enough to understand that if he wished to accomplish anything he must begin at the bottom and work to the top.

The girls relieved the mother of the greater part of the household work—meanwhile adding a little to the general fund by their busy needles.

When spring came Robert obtained a position as under teacher in the academy, and Alice, leaving Katie to care for the old folks, found her music had at last served a good purpose, and daily she bravely and bravely to the wearisome monotony of a music teacher.

Though Katie spent much of her time in the dingy garret—no one except her sister knew of the hundreds of thousands of dollars philanthropically in Brooklyn. He has given \$100,000 each to the Adelphi academy and the Emmanuel Baptist church.

He is a small man, with keen eyes and a smiling mouth. His hair is yellowish. He wears clothes as plain as those of a working man.

An Orange Heights (Fla.) woman turned her horse out in the pasture the other afternoon, and was looking at it as it fed, when it disappeared right before her eyes. When she reached the place where the animal had stood she found that the earth had sunk eight feet below the surface. The horse was not out there, nor the horse for the adventure, but why the earth gave way has not yet been explained.

One of the most noticeable things to me in Holland was the familiar type of faces, the name to be seen every day in the streets of New York. I would see some well-known face and wonder how it came to be there. I had a reply in Dutch. In some parts of Holland I saw faces of the pure Yankee type. Coming over on the Flushing steamer I saw a man like a Vermont Yankee. He had sharp, aquiline features, and the short chin whiskers so much affected in the picture of Uncle Sam. Any American seeing such a man would swear that he was from New England. Yet he was a Dutchman who had never been very far from Holland and who knew not a word of English. I have always believed that "chin whiskers" were peculiarly American. The caricaturist of Uncle Sam is responsible for this. Yet I have found this style very common in England and Holland. Many of the English gables wear chin whiskers. If this style, which Hon. Barnwell Sloate affects in America, it was originally borrowed from Europe.—(T. C. Crawford in New York World.)

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## CITY NEWS.

The brutal sport of cock-fighting has again been revived in the suburbs of the city.

Henry Smith, a saloon-keeper on North Illinois street, has been indicted by the grand jury for selling intoxicants on Sunday.

A trustee family of five, all the way from Illinois, were gashed in by the township trustees last evening and sent to the Friendly Inn.

An incendiary last evening attempted to burn the stable belonging to Newt Harding, 329 North Pennsylvania street, but timely discovery prevented a major loss.

The woman suffrage convention for the seventh congressional district will be held at Anderson November 30 and December 1, the district including the counties of Madison, Hancock, Shelby and Marion. The speakers will include Susan B. Anthony, Zaida G. Wallace, Helen M. Gougar, Mary Wright Howell and others.

Last evening J. S. Surber, grocer, corner South street and Virginia avenue, was a man in the act of stealing a turkey, and he gave chase, finally overtaking him. There was a struggle between the men, with the advantage of Surber, who was the victor. The turkey was captured.

Quinn Fiebman dismissed the liquor cases in which Ed Tompkins was interested, because there was no evidence tending to show that the defendant, who is a druggist, sold liquor last Sunday without a prescription. Stephen Szolowski was also discharged, because the name of the purchaser of the liquor was not forthcoming, and a similar fact befell the case against Charles H. Stevens.

## Mr. Mackintosh.

The old papers belonging to the territorial history of the state, recently turned up in removing the secretary of state's office to the state-house, mention a Mr. William Mackintosh among the territorial officers. Some forty odd years ago an old journalist of this city remembers bearing an acquaintance of this Mr. Mackintosh say that he was a brother of the celebrated Scotch lawyer and litterateur, Sir James Mackintosh, the friend and associate of Sydney Smith, Jeffrey, Lord Holland, Brougham and other lights of the British whig party. The same informant spoke of his quasi consular relation to a colored woman. The first, or one of the first, of the first colored church in the city—whose building stood on Georgia street, half way from Mississippi street to the canal—subsequently replaced by the old Episcopal church from Circle street—was a Mr. Mackintosh, a half-blood, of good abilities and education, who was said by those who knew of the existence and situation of the elder Mackintosh to be the son of the latter.

## Yesterday's Weddings.

There were various weddings yesterday afternoon and last night. Mr. Philip Hildebrand and Miss Caroline Gail were married in the evening at the English Lutheran church by Rev. John Ditzler, in the presence of a large number of friends and acquaintances. They left for Florida this morning, where they will remain until January 1. Mr. Fred A. Barrows and Miss Fannie A. Stitz, youngest daughter of Mr. G. B. Stitz, were married last evening at the family residence on Sanders street, Rev. Mr. Hunter, of the Holy Innocents church, officiating. Mr. Paul Steinhauser and Miss Bertha Mannfeld, well-known young German people, were married last night by Judge A. C. Ayres, and went immediately to housekeeping at their new home on East Walnut street. Mr. Alvin B. Clark and Miss Nettie Seiber were married at the residence of the bride's parents on Elm street, and at the residence of Sheriff King yesterday afternoon his niece, Miss Clara Kubush, was married to Mr. Louis Goss.

## Rejoice With The Gas Trust.

Arrangements for the mass meeting at Tomlinson hall to-morrow night have progressed satisfactorily. Remarks will be made by William Wallace, Judge Lamb, Governor Porter, W. P. Fishback, H. H. Hanna, J. P. Frenzel and others. It is understood that one of the city bands, desirous of showing its interest in the welfare of the Gas Trust, has offered its services for the occasion. There ought to be music all around. The committee on gas territory appointed by the directors of the Gas Trust has been through the Hamilton county fields and is preparing to make valuable suggestions to the board. The committee will this week visit the Greenfield, Anderson and Broad Ripple gas fields.

## A Blessing in the Rainfall.

The drizzling rain of yesterday and last night, which is still falling to-day, will prove of incalculable benefit throughout the state, as it seems to be general. Something of the character of the drought prevailing in this immediate section may be judged by the fact that a gentleman, living on North Illinois street near the exposition grounds, occupied his new residence early in August. A cistern was constructed on the premises some time previous to its occupancy, and yet since that time until yesterday there had not been a sufficient catch of rain water to cover its bottom.

## The Receipts of Hogs.

The volume of business at the stock yards is proving much greater this section than in any preceding year. During the first three weeks of November the receipts of hogs exceeded those of the corresponding time last year by 42,000, and instead of there being but two or three good days each week, as formerly, all days show an equal amount of business. The hog coming in are lighter weight than usual, but their quality is good and fair prices are received. About half the entire receipts are killed and packed by firms here, the rest going to eastern markets.

## Thanksgiving Eve Entertainments.

The young ladies of the Indianapolis institute gave an entertainment last night for the benefit of the proposed Episcopal orphanage. There were recitations and musical selections. The ladies of St. Vincent De Paul society of St. John's church gave a social last night for the benefit of the poor. There were recitations by Miss Katie Moore, Clara Bretz, Annie Abromet and P. J. Kalleher, and musical numbers by Miss Abromet and Miss Maggie McKee.

## A New Point Sprung.

It seems that in the case which Patrolman Wetrick filed against Frischinger's bartender, a new point was sprung in the trial, to the effect that the complainant did not use diligence in obtaining the name of the party to whom the liquor was sold, this being raised under a decision of the supreme court, and being new to the mayor. Wetrick is therefore not blameable for not knowing that something more was required in making out a case besides seeing the liquor drank and the money paid.

## New Postal Regulation.

Postmaster Jones has received instructions from the department to strictly enforce the law prohibiting any kind of advertising device on envelopes. For example, it is all right to have such an inscription as "return to John Smith, etc." on the envelope, but the letter will not be sent if the inscription should be "Return to John Smith, dealer in dry goods." This prohibition does not extend to mail matter which is not inclosed in envelopes.

## An Anti-Following Club Organized.

A small following of the teachings of Henry George met last evening at the court-house and organized an anti-poverty club, with Gilbert Seibert president, L. P. Oster vice president, C. H. Krauss secretary and J. Hudson treasurer, and another meeting was called for next Tuesday evening at the same place. It is intended to secure an address from Rev. Hugh O. Pentecost in January.

## Amusements The Rest of the Week.

At the Grand "The Still Alarm" with the exciting fire engine scene.

At English's Salubrious's Tronadors in "The Humming Bird," with Nellie McHenry, John Webster and other bright actors in the cast.

At the Museum "Lost in London" the best play presented at this house this season.

The First Postoffice in this country was established in 1710 by an act of parliament. On the commencement of the Revolution Congress assumed the control of this department of state. Ryan sells the best hats. 21 and 23 South Illinois street, Indianapolis.

## READ THIS—WONDERFUL.

Auction sale of diamonds, jewelry, gold and silver watches, clocks, Rogers' knives, forks and spoons, 7:30 p. m., at 71 East Washington street.

J. C. FULLENWIDER, Auctioneer.

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Manufacturers of all kinds of gray iron castings. Strict attention given to job work. Prices low. 28 Shelby street. Telephone 158.

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"TEN-CENT ROYAL" GIVES EVERYTHING! Broken glass, china, wood, etc. Drugs & Gro.

Open photos are finished as fast as any in the city. New York Gallery. Call and see.

We carry the largest and best stock of fine jewelry, watches and diamonds in the city, and sell the cheapest. Marcy, The Jeweler.

For good fitting garments go to W. H. Gramling, Merchant Tailor, 170 East Washington street.

T. R. BELL, consulting engineer, mechanical draughtsman. Patent Solicitor. 50 Shelby block.

Blood poison cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

We are now opening our new holiday goods. Watches and diamonds a specialty at Marcy, The Jeweler.

## FRESH, CLEAN, RELIABLE MEATS.

Various kinds of all kinds of fresh meats; also the finest cuts of salt meats. Satisfaction guaranteed. Sausages of every kind. If you are hard to please, call on Rudolph Hettcher, proprietor, 47 South Delaware street, and sausage factory, Stand 53 East Market street.

## COTE D'OR.

The pure California grape juice is for sale by T. W. Zell, 150 North Noble street only 50 cents a bottle.

I will slaughter a large line of diamond goods, gold and silver watches, clocks, jewelry and all the rest. Must sell. Come and secure great bargains, at 71 East Washington street, 7:30 p. m.

S. D. CRANK, Manager.

## KEEP YOUR FEET WARM.

By wearing the new patent cork-soled shoes, for ladies and gents. C. Friedman, sole agent, 21 North Pennsylvania street, 2nd floor.

For chrysanthemums, rose buds, carnations and other choice cut flowers, call at Weishaar Bros. & Lantz, 408 North Tennessee street. Telephone 497.

## STOVE TRIMMING NICKEL-PLATED.

At 115 South Pennsylvania street.

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GLITTERING beauties at auction. Diamonds of all kinds. Gold and silver watches. Jewelry at a tremendous sacrifice at 71 East Washington street at 7:30 p. m.

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Go to the Bates House shoe store for good boots and shoes.

CABINETS reduced from \$8 to \$5 per dozen at Potter's, opposite Bates house.

Go to John C. Hart & Co., 75 East Washington street, for boots and shoes.

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## CALIFORNIA EXCURSION.

November 30. Call at L. B. & W. ticket office, 128 South Illinois street.

## CLOAKS

## To-Morrow.

One of the choicest lots of Cloaks bought this season has arrived, and will be on sale to-morrow.

To-morrow we will close out a lot of odd Short Wraps, good styles, but will have no more of them this season. You can buy them one-third off.

2c per yard for your choice of a lot of Ribbons, from No. 2 up to 12.

Silk Handkerchiefs, 22-inch, at 33c; the lowest price known for them has been 65c.

Nunery Handkerchiefs, fine linen cambric, with initials, 25c; better than those usually sold at 50c.

Your choice for 5c out of a thousand Handkerchiefs.

50c for 8-button Mosquitaires. Kid Gloves, regular price \$1.25.

To-morrow we will close out a lot of odd Scarlet Vests and Drawers for ladies at 75c, former price \$1.50.

One lot of Men's Scarlet Shirts at 58c, worth \$1. These are broken lots and must go fast, so come early and make selection.

1,000 Bed Comforts to-morrow.

Blankets and Dress Goods.

## H. P. WASSON &amp; CO.

## MOSES'S SPECTACLES.

Are sold only at the old stand, NO. 4 NORTH PENNSYLVANIA STREET. Beware of Peddlers claiming to sell our goods. They are frauds. H. P. WASSON, Optician.

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## Ladies' Underwear.

We offer a great bargain in Ladies' Camel's Hair Underwear. The whole sale price early in the season was \$12 a dozen. We are selling the same goods at 90 cents. Only a small case of 25 dozen.

## PRICES ALWAYS IN PLAIN FIGURES.

Remember that we are selling Kid Gloves very cheap this week.

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Will Sell

1,200 pairs 5-button Kid Gloves, worth \$1, for 35c per pair.

5,000 Mufflers and Handkerchiefs at less than manufacturers' prices.

200 Arcade Seal Plush Short Wraps, with double row of Seal-ball Trimming, very new, for \$19.99, good value for \$35.

100 Normandy seal plush short wraps, Modjeska sleeves, long front, trimmed with balls, very popular, for \$24.99 each.

Big lot of new style Finesse Seal Plush Sacks, quilted satin lining, four seal ornaments, for \$19.95, guaranteed to be worth \$35.

We will sell Fine Seal Plush Short Wraps, long front, China sleeves, satin duchess lined, for \$24 each.

We will sell 100 Diagonal Newmarkets, with Plush Collars and Cuffs, for \$3.25 each.

We will sell 55 Astrachan Russian hair and sets, for \$3.25.

## BLANKETS AND COMFORTS.

200 fine all-wool Blankets, in scarlet and white for \$1.75. We will sell 300 extra quality Bed Comforts. We will sell

20 pieces all-wool scarlet flannel, worth 40c for 25c.

## UNDERWEAR!

Never such bargains offered. Big lot all-wool children's scarlet underwear, for 25c.

200 dozen all-wool French ribbed hose, worth 60c for 25c.

## DRESS GOODS SALE!

65 pieces 54 inch all-wool Tricot Cloth, worth 85c, for 50c.

Big lot of 36-inch Mixed Tricot Cloth, worth 50c, will be sold for 25c per yard.

Fine double width Cashmere for 15c.

Fancy Matlasse Cloths for 12c, worth 25c.

Great sale of Silks, Velvets and Plushes.

## POMEROY &amp; HUDER, PRESCRIPTION DRUGGISTS,

50 North Pennsylvania Street (Opposite Postoffice).

## CLEARANCE SALE

Of our entire line of Body Brussels Carpets. Consists of private patterns in Irvins, Deitz & Mege's popular goods, also—

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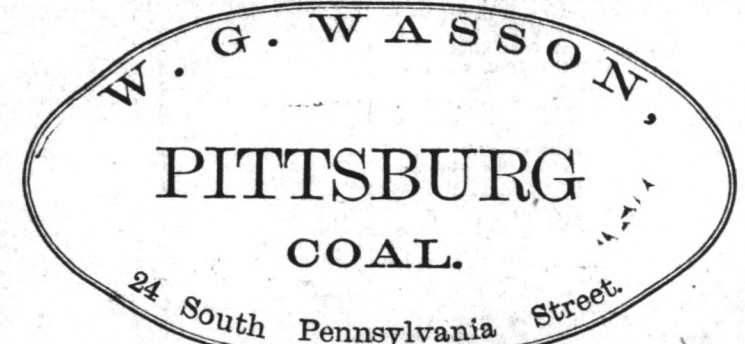
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